

WEATHER FORECAST
For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Saturday:
Victoria and vicinity—Strong winds or
gales, mostly easterly and southerly, be-
coming unsettled and milder, followed by
rain.
Lower Mainland—Fresh to high easterly
winds on the Gulf, becoming unsettled
and milder, with rain.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT
Royal Victoria—The Forbidden Path,
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Dominion—In Pursuit of Polly.
Variety—The Half-Breed.
Columbia—When Men Are Tempted.
Romano—The Scarlet Drop.

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PROGRAMME OUTLINED BY BRITISH COLUMBIA MEMBERS OF COMMONS

Representatives Present United Front in Asking Ottawa to Revive Pacific Trade, Develop Natural Resources and Take Other Steps

Vancouver, Nov. 22.—A programme of development and reconstruction for this Province upon which the Members of Parliament for British Columbia will present a united front, was laid out at meetings here lasting throughout all of yesterday and up to late midnight. The conference was held at the Hotel Vancouver.

The conference should prove to be a momentous one in the history of the Province, for it is the first step to be taken by the members for this Province toward securing British Columbia's share of the fruits of reconstruction, and it is the first time a non-partisan get-together discussion to talk over what may be done for the welfare of the Province has ever been held.

The programme was discussed from every angle and the decisions were unanimous. The resolutions adopted will be forwarded without delay to the Dominion Government, and every effort will be made to bring immediate action. They also will form the basis of the policy to be followed by the members at the forthcoming session of the House.

The meetings were presided over by R. G. Green, M. P. for West Kootenay, the other members being Dr. Tolmie, M. P. for Victoria; J. C. MacIntosh, M. P. for Nanaimo; H. H. Stevens, M. P. for Vancouver-Centre; S. J. Crowe, M. P. for Burrard; Lieut.-Colonel Cooper, M. P. for Vancouver-South; F. C. Stacey, M. P. for Chilliwack; T. S. Clements, M. P. for Comox-Alberni; W. J. McQuarrie, M. P. for New Westminster; and Dr. Bonnell, M. P. for Fernie.

Shipping Facilities.
One of the first problems taken up was that of trans-Pacific shipping facilities, a question that is not only of vital importance to British Columbia, but to all of Canada. The imperative necessity for the development of trans-Pacific trade was seen by all the Members present. On this subject the following resolution was passed unanimously:

"Whereas, the shipping facilities of the Pacific coast were seriously depleted to provide for vital traffic on the Atlantic, and as the grave danger then threatened to shipping, both in war and inasmuch as Pacific trade has been seriously crippled in consequence of such depletion."

"It is resolved, that in the opinion of this conference of British Columbia Members of Parliament all ships formerly engaged in Pacific trade should forthwith be returned thereto, or where that is impossible, kept in service at equal tonnage, having special reference to the Canadian Pacific Ocean service and the Canadian-Australian Line."

Ships Needed.
"And, be it further resolved, that in our opinion it is of imperative importance to Canada's future foreign trade that every possible facility should be at once provided to take care of the present and the rapidly developing trans-Pacific trade, and that to this end efforts should be made by the Government to secure a portion of the surplus tonnage of Canadian shipping and that shipping now under construction on this coast for the Dominion Government should be dedicated to this service."

This resolution was proposed by Mr. Stevens.

Panama Route.

Perhaps next in importance was the Panama Canal route question. The necessity for establishing a line of steamships running from this province to Mexico through the Panama Canal and on to Halifax and Montreal was realized by the Member. The result was that the resolution was carried up and sent to Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways, calling upon the Government to fulfill the pledges which have been made in this connection and to inaugurate a service at once.

Next the meeting discussed the question of a British Columbia representative upon the Siberian Trade Commission (Concluded on page 4).

HENRY FORD WILL PUBLISH A WEEKLY NEWSPAPER IN U. S.

Detroit, Nov. 22.—Henry Ford today announced his retirement from active participation in the management of the Ford Motor Company, complete control of the Ford interests in the company to be taken over by his son, Edsel.

Mr. Ford said he intended to undertake the publication of a national weekly newspaper, dividing his time between the publication and his tractor industry.

AMERICAN CONGRESS HAS A HOLIDAY

Washington, Nov. 22.—Congress today started on a ten-day vacation, its first complete suspension since the session which was adjourned yesterday sine die began on December 3, 1917. While most of the members will be at leisure until the new session begins next December 2, several committees will work during adjournment on legislation to be presented to the Legislature and the members also were preparing for the great reconstruction and appropriation programme which must be squeezed into the session ending next March 4.

Senate Committees will continue work on the war revenue bill and the investigation of brewers' activities. The House Appropriation Committee will proceed with the drafting of the score of regular supply bills.

EXPECTATION IS DE CASTELNAU WILL BECOME MARSHAL



Paris, Nov. 22.—(Havas)—General Edouard de Castelnau, who will enter Strasbourg Sunday with the French army, according to The Echo de Paris, probably will at that time "assume a new dignity."

Paris newspapers reported earlier in the week that the three new Marshals of France probably would be appointed soon, and that other generals would be promoted when Strasbourg was entered. Apparently one of the marshals to be elevated will be General Castelnau. General de Castelnau was Chief of the French General Staff under Marshal Joffre, and later was commander of the French armies in France and Belgium. He was one of the most successful leaders of the French army and the "savior of Nancy." He then became Commander-in-Chief of the French army in France and Belgium, and represented France at the Allied Conference in Potsdam early in 1917.

General de Castelnau had lost two sons in the war and a fourth was captured by the Germans, being repatriated last June. The general was born in 1851, and fought in the Franco-Prussian War.

NEW ALL-RUSSIAN CABINET FORMED

This One, Composed of Officers of Volunteer Army, is at Ekaterinodar

Copenhagen, Nov. 22.—An all-Russian Government composed of the general staff of the volunteer army has been formed at Ekaterinodar with the object of re-establishing Russia under the federation principle, according to Kiev.

Former Foreign Minister Sazonoff is Foreign Minister of the new Government.

Basel, Nov. 21.—Via London, Nov. 22.—Entente troops are marching on Kiev, according to advices to newspapers in Switzerland. General Skoropadski has surrendered and General Denikine, leader of anti-Bolshevik troops was reported through Copenhagen Wednesday. It was added that the Ukrainian National Army had fled and that a Provisional Government had been established by General Denikine. General Skoropadski had been Dictator of the Ukraine with the help of the Austrians and Germans since last May.

A Great Panicon Berlin Bourse Took Place on Thursday

London, Nov. 22.—The greatest panic on the Berlin Bourse in three years occurred Thursday when it was reported that the extremists in several German cities had usurped the power of local authorities, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

KING OF BELGIANS AND HIS MINISTERS ENTER BRUSSELS

London, Nov. 22.—King Albert and the Belgian Government left Bruges Thursday and were expected to make an official entry into Brussels at 2 o'clock this afternoon, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Brussels.

Belgian troops and gendarmes reached the capital yesterday and restored quiet. Flags were flying everywhere in celebration of the return of the King.

Some of the administrative services of the Government resumed their functions in Brussels Thursday evening. King Albert was to

re-open Parliament to-day immediately after he reviews the troops.

The new Belgian Ministry, in answer to the appeal for modification of the armistice terms made by Prince Lichnowsky, former German Ambassador in London, said to-day:

"If I had to make a reply to Prince Lichnowsky's letter or any similar appeal I should say that the terms of the armistice did not, in my judgment, in the least exceed the just necessities. Germany has brought them upon herself."

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CHURCH COMMISSION IN THE DOMINION

Inter-Denominational Organization Will Deal With Post-War Problems

Toronto, Nov. 22.—Representatives of all the Protestant churches of Canada met in the Anglican synod office here yesterday for the purpose of organizing an inter-denominational commission on matters relating to the war and demobilization. It was decided to call the new organization the Federal War Service Commission of the Churches in Canada.

Bishop Roper, of Ottawa, was elected chairman, and Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, General Superintendent of the Methodist Church; Rev. Dr. J. S. Grant, chairman of the Presbyterian War Commission, were elected vice-chairmen. The secretary is Rev. W. T. Gunn, representing the Congregational Commission. Rev. M. C. McLean, rep-

THE GERMAN NAVAL SURRENDER SCENE WILL BE PAINTED

London, Nov. 22.—(British Wireless Service.)—The scene in Admiral Sir David Beatty's cabin on H. M. S. Queen Elizabeth when the German delegates arranged for the surrender of the German fleet is to be placed on canvas by Sir John Lavery, of the Royal Academy. He was present in the Admiral's cabin during the conference. There will be fifteen figures in the painting.



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CANADA'S RECORD DURING THE WAR

Statement Issued at Ottawa Shows What Dominion Did in Field

Ottawa, Nov. 22.—The following statement, showing what has been accomplished from a military point of view by the Dominion since the beginning of the war, was issued yesterday afternoon in the Militia Department:

When Canada entered the war on August 4, 1914, she had a permanent force of only 3,000 men and an active militia of 60,000. When hostilities ceased on November 11, 1918, Canada had some 418,960 soldiers. At first Canada applied a division. This was increased, until by 1916 she had in France an army corps of four divisions, a cavalry brigade and numerous other services, such as line of communication troops, railway troops and forestry corps.

On September 30, 1918, the Canadian forces in France numbered 156,250. The cavalry brigade included a strong draft furnished by the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

The Canadians engaged in the United Kingdom and France in operating railway lines and in cutting down forests and milling the timber numbered about 50,000 men.

Of the Royal Air Force, some 14,000 or 15,000 were raised and trained in Canada. In addition many joined the Royal Air Force after going overseas in the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

By October 31, 1918, the casualties numbered more than 211,000. There had been more than 50,000 deaths, 152,000 had been wounded, and when hostilities ceased the prisoners of war numbered 2,800.

The roll of Canadian battles is:

1915.

Second Battle of Ypres (April and May).

1916.

St. Eloi (April 3 and 19).
Sanctuary Wood (June 2 and 3).
Hooge (June 5, 6, 13 and 14).
Battle of Somme (September, October and November).

1917.

Battle of Vimy Ridge (April 9 and 13).
Battle of Arras and Fresnoy (April 28 and 29 and May 3).
Battle of Lens (June).
Battle of Hill 70 (August 15).
Battle of Passchendaele (October 25, November 19).

1918.

Second Battle of Somme (March and April).
Battle of Amiens (August 12).
Capture of Monchy-le-Preux (August 26, 38).
Breaking of Quent-Drocourt line (September 3 and 4).
Crossing of Canal du Nord and Bourlon Wood (September 27, 28).
Encirclement and capture of Cambrai (October 1, 8).
Capture of Douai (October 18).
Capture of Denain (October 20).
Encirclement and capture of Valenciennes (October 25 and November 2).
Advance and capture of Mons (November 7-11).

Voyagers will have to give fourteen days' notice to the United States immigration authorities at the permit of entry that their passengers have been vaccinated at the consulate bureau.

Passenger agents of the various steamship lines say they do not expect that tourist travel to Europe will be permitted by the United States and Allied Governments until 1920, because the steamships will be required for other purposes.

One of the best-informed steerage passenger agents said that there were at least 20,000 men and women waiting in Ireland to come over.

LLOYD GEORGE ISSUES ELECTION ADDRESS

Speaks of Trade Preference and Reform of House of Lords

London, Nov. 22.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George and Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law have issued a long election address to the country. For the most part it follows the lines of speech made recently by the two political leaders in outlining proposals for a trade preference to the Dominions and Colonies. It says, however, that until the country has returned to normal industrial conditions it would be premature to prescribe a fiscal policy intended for permanence.

"We must endeavor," the address says, "to reduce the war debt in such a manner as to inflict the least injury on industry and credit. The military institutions of the country must necessarily be dependent upon the needs of the Empire, its prospective requirements and the necessities of the league for the preservation of peace."

"It will be the duty of the new Government to remove all existing inequalities of law as between men and women and create a second Chamber based upon direct contact with the people."

"There can be no political peace in the Kingdom or Empire while the Irish question remains unsettled. Therefore, all practical paths toward a settlement must be explored. There are two paths, however, which are closed, namely, one leading to the complete severance of Ireland from the Empire, and the other to forcible subjection of the six Ulster counties to a Home Rule Parliament against their will."

BRITISH WOMEN
MAY GO HOME FROM
THIS CONTINENT

New York, Nov. 22.—The British Consul-General has been directed by a cable dispatch from the Foreign Office at London to remove the restriction of residence since April, 1917, preventing women who are British subjects from crossing the ocean to England, Scotland, Ireland or Wales. This does not apply, it is explained, to women who desire to visit Great Britain for sightseeing purposes, but refers only to those desiring to see their families abroad.

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OTTAWA LEGISLATION
FOR LAND SETTLEMENT

Ottawa, Nov. 22.—The introduction of bills at the next session of Parliament to enable the land colonization and soldiers' settlement schemes, discussed at the Conference of the Provincial Premiers here, to be brought into effect, is considered likely. The first bill, introduced by Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Immigration and Colonization, involves the purchase by the Provinces with money lent to them by the Dominion of privately-owned undeveloped land, and the sale of this land on easy terms, to settlers. The second scheme, suggested by Hon. Arthur Meighen, Minister of the Interior, provides for giving additional aid to returning soldiers settling on the land.

At the session yesterday Hon. Gladys Robertson, Minister of Education, brought up the question of technical education. In the discussion that followed the consensus of opinion appeared to be that the Provinces should control this matter themselves. They might be assisted by the Dominion with subsidies and grants when necessary.

Consideration of a scheme for the housing of workmen also took up some of the time of the session.

GEN. CRITCHLEY IS
BACK IN CANADA

Winnipeg, Nov. 22.—After an absence of four years, most of which time was spent on the front in France and Flanders, Brigadier-General Albert C. Critchley, D. S. O., returned to Winnipeg last night on furlough. Prior to the war General Critchley was a lieutenant in the Strathcona Horse, which regiment he joined in the summer of 1914, having been wounded in 1914. He was again wounded in 1918. Last year General Critchley was commanding of the school of instruction of the Royal Flying Corps and officer in charge of the training of cadets with the rank of brigadier-general. In England General Critchley was as the "youngest brigadier-general in the British army."

The father of General Critchley is a well-known rancher in the Calgary district, but is at present attached to the Canadian Headquarters Staff in England as officer supervising horse-manship.

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Ottawa, Nov. 22.—The following casualties have just been issued:

Killed in action—Pte. A. T. Strachan, Windthorst, Sask.; Pte. H. Stuart, Toronto; Pte. W. J. Smith, U. S. A.; Pte. J. O. Morin, U. S. A.; Pte. T. A. Murray, Montreal; Pte. W. M. Ney, Midland, Ont.; Simon Corp., J. MacLeod, Dundee, T. E. L. Mr. F. G. Nabbs, Victoria Harbor, Ont.; Pte. H. Sayles, Beaupre, N.B.; Pte. H. C. Thomson, Galt, Ont.; Pte. R. W. Long, Kennedy, Sask.; Corp. L. Layng, Banff, Alta.; Sergt. W. S. M. McGhee, Madoc, Ont.; Pte. A. McKay, Grosses Island, Man.; Pte. J. F. Clark, Minto, Ont.; Corp. S. J. P. Caron, Beckwith, Ont.; Pte. H. C. Wilson, Campbell, U. S. A.; Sergt. J. Carson, U. S. A.; Pte. W. Dargavel, Wolseley, Sask.; Pte. B. Pill, England; Pte. H. Palmer, Goderich, Ont.; Sergt. E. O. Olson, Winnipeg; Pte. J. Martin, Bourget, Ont.

Died—Pte. W. G. Judson, Inverness, N.S.; Pte. J. C. Chayter, Montcalm, P.Q.; Corp. C. W. Smith, Wolseley, Sask.; Pte. F. Squires, U. S. A.; Pte. W. Wardle, Toronto; Pte. T. M. Scott, Scotland; Pte. C. H. Russell, U. S. A.; Acting Corp. G. E. Savage, Oakville, Ont.; Pte. E. C. Richards, Ottawa, Ont.

Wounded—Pte. J. W. Chatfield, Constance, Ont.; Pte. H. G. Gillie, Brown, Beloeil, P.Q.; Pte. W. B. Green, U. S. A.; Pte. L. C. Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.; Pte. A. Brantmeyer, Iroquois, Ont.; Pte. J. Robertson, Starbuck, Man.; Pte. F. W. Brow, U. S. A.; Pte. R. G. Smith, Wyndham, Sask.; Pte. C. Moreau, Lisles, P.Q.; Pte. C. T. McCormack, Moose Jaw, Sask.

Gassed—Pte. P. Potter, Foxboro, Ont.; Pte. A. M. McDonald, Montreal, P.Q.; Pte. C. Crowley, Medicine Hat, Alta.; Pte. E. W. Ota, Melita, Man.; Pte. R. E. Machin, Edmonton, Alta.

Killed in action—Bdr. H. M. Wilkinson, Toronto.

Died of wounds—Gnr. W. S. Brooks, Arnprior, Ont.

Died—Gnr. W. W. Tackaberry, Rock Springs, Ont.; Gnr. H. R. Smith, England; Dvr. F. L. Stockdale, Toronto; Gnr. C. A. Norris, Kingston, Ont.

Wounded—Gnr. A. G. P. Valade, Galt, Ont.; Gnr. J. C. Parry, Calgary; Gnr. D. L. Dundas, Thorold, Ont.; Dvr. J. L. Cameron, Kirkton, Ont.; Gnr. W. Jones, Hubert, England; Gnr. E. G. Munro, Bowmansville, Ont.; Gnr. H. S. Blair, Toronto; Gnr. G. J. Taylor, Ottawa; Gnr. A. Packman, England.

Machine Gun—Died—Pte. W. J. Clarkson, Winnipeg; Lance-Corp. F. W. Perry, England; Pte. W. Johnson, England.

Wounded—Pte. F. Faulkner, Englewood, Ont.; Pte. L. C. Stinson's Son, Rock Deer, Alta.; Pte. R. Kline, U. S. A.; Pte. F. Larsen, Denmark; Pte. W. L. Hackett, Ireland; Pte. W. W. Gilpin, Dunnville, Ont.; Pte. W. G. Singer, Windsor, N.S.; Pte. L. A. Chapman, Toronto; Acting Corp. H. J. Pickering, Shelburne, Ont.; Pte. T. Selby, U. S. A.; Pte. A. J. Mackie, Scotland; Pte. J.

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CANADA'S ARMY.

Canada's military contribution to the victory of the Allies, as reviewed in a statement issued at Ottawa yesterday, forms one of the most impressive chapters of the record of the last four years and until the end of time will be a source of lofty pride and gratitude to this country.

From the early months of the war the Dominion, which before 1914 had little more than an organization of militia, was destined to become a factor in the field of an importance out of all proportion to the number of its forces. In its first serious engagement with the enemy, the Second Battle of Ypres, the Canadian citizen soldiery not only saved the road to Calais but averted the envelopment of the entire front in Northern France.

Never did a field force untried in war face so hard a test. It was the first time poisonous gases were employed in battle and our troops were absolutely without protection from the deadly fumes. And never was the enemy so certain of success. He counted on an easy conquest over the recently transformed civilians of Canada in any case and, to his mind, his surprise gas weapon made the result doubly safe. Nor have the Allies ever been confronted with a more critical situation than that which was saved by the young Canadian expeditionary force, which had crossed from Canada to England just six months before and a considerable proportion of which prior to the outbreak of war had scarcely handled a gun.

The Second Battle of Ypres was the first course of the bitter lesson the enemy was to learn from the Canadian army. The splendid unit which covered itself with glory there was the nucleus of what was to become a fighting organization unsurpassed in Europe, an army which, under Sir Arthur Currie's brilliant leadership, was to win some of the most important victories of the war. Its colors were to bear the names of Hooge, Sanctuary Wood, Vimy Ridge, Arleux and Fresnoy, Hill 70, Lens, the Somme, Passchendaele, and the record of the series of great achievements which began with the Battle of Amiens and ended with the triumphal entry into Mons.

It is well known that for months before the great Allied offensive this summer the Canadian army had been chosen by Sir Douglas Haig to be the spear-head of the attack on the British front, and the other day Sir Arthur Currie stated that his troops had understood that when the time came for a counter-measure they would form the head of attack because of their high efficiency as storming troops and their record unmarred by a single failure. This role was filled by them in the battle of Amiens when they drove fourteen miles to Chaulnes in three days, thereby creating the rupture upon which depended largely all subsequent operations on the front. They then were transferred to the Arras region in preparation for an attack upon the Drocourt-Queant switch. Again they broke through, uncovering Cambrai and Douai, and with the British, Australian and New Zealand troops who went over the Hindenburg Line, farther south, laid the foundation for the victories won afterwards.

many's treatment of her war prisoners shows how far the chief enemy state is from the real elements of reform. It shows how thorough and drastic must be the process of regeneration in that country, how strong the ruling passion in Prussianism remains even at this stage of German disaster.

Germany's transformation so far is only superficial. It is based upon the failure of her monarchical despots and military masters to win the war, not upon her resentment of the wrong-doing into which they led her. That failure brought in its train, fear of consequences, fear that the Allies might do to Germany what she did to France and Belgium, fear that she would have to pay the enormous indemnities she intended to grind from her foes. This, and the bitterness and humiliation of defeat itself, caused the German people to demand the deposition of their former leaders.

They thought, and still think, that, having got rid of the men who failed to deliver the goods for them by appointing men like Ebert and Scheidemann in their places they can persuade the Allies to moderate their terms, in fact to let them clear on easy conditions. But cruelty having become an instinct with them, they could not refrain from giving their hapless prisoners a final demonstration of the fact; they were unable even to make a show of possessing a spark of human sympathy and kindness. The prisoners were helpless and in their power. They had to be liberated under duress, so the pretence of complete reform had to be discarded long enough to permit them to subject their victims to a last instalment of savagery.

Germany will not be de-prussianized until she has had a complete upheaval which will bury every vestige of the system which has debauched her people, with every one of its apostles. She must be purified by intense suffering for only by that means can her reform be anything but a mask of cunning and treachery. The nation which could be guilty of such hellish cruelty as that which Germany inflicted upon her war prisoners is almost hopeless forever, and the people who could tolerate that cruelty under their very eyes without protest must carry within their breasts hearts turned to stone.

The reckoning of the Allies with Germany, no matter what form she may assume, must have among its principal features the ease of her treatment of her prisoners-of-war, the shooting, beating and starving of tens of thousands of them to death, the exposure of more thousands to pestilence and the innumerable other forms of savage persecution which only German "kultur" could devise. The Allies must have every German officer and official connected with those crimes and punish them as fittingly as their laws will permit. This must be an essential part of Germany's expiation and regeneration.

OUR DEBT TO ITALY.

Italy's refusal to be a party to a Teutonic programme of aggression prevented Germany springing upon the Allies in 1913. Her prompt notification to France that she would not stand with her partners in the Triple Alliance in August, 1914, and that French troops could be moved safely from the Franco-Italian border, enabled de Castelnau to win the battle of Nancy and made the victory at the Marne possible. Italy's magnificent services for the common cause since are well known. Her campaigns have been carried out under incredible difficulties and her losses have been enormous. These facts and the sufferings of the people of Venetia overrun and ravaged by the ruthless foe should be remembered to-morrow when an appeal will be made to our citizens for aid for the Italian Red Cross work in the devastated districts.

THE GERMAN COLONIES.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies has informed the Agent-General of New South Wales that the British Government will support the claims of the Dominions respecting the German colonies and that Mr. Lloyd George already has made this clear to the representatives of the Allies in Paris.

This question, like all other international questions arising from the war, will be settled by the Allies in common just as they have fought and suffered in common, fixed the terms of an armistice in common and will make peace in common. The basis of its settlement must be the best interests of the inhabitants of the colonies with due regard to the welfare of the world.

On that basis alone the colonies cannot be restored to Germany. She has shown herself utterly unfitted to control them, and the world has no other standard of judgment in her case than experience. Apart from the fact that her only object in obtaining them was to facilitate her war against the world, her record of pitiless cruelty to the natives, which was common knowledge long before this war, makes it absolutely necessary that the future of the colonies be entrusted to other hands.

There really is not much ground for the anxiety of Australia and South Africa regarding this matter. About the last thing the Allies would dream of would be the return of the colonies to Germany, even if there were Germany to return them to, and more remote still would be the prospect of their return to Prussia if there were no Germany. In all probability the colonies will be placed under British protection with special regard to the interests of the British Dominions nearest them. Any other arrangement for their administration would be impracticable.

THE WAR PRISONERS.

The condition in which Allied prisoners-of-war are being turned loose by the Germans has drawn from the British Government a stern warning that unless there is an immediate improvement the circumstance will be taken into account in considering the food requirements of the German people. This final chapter of the horrible record of Ger-

GERMANY, AS NAVAL POWER, CEASED TO EXIST WHEN GREATEST SUR-RENDER OCCURRED

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The northern column steamed on to the regular anchorages higher up the Firth. Inspection parties from the Grand Fleet boarded the German craft to make sure that all conditions of the armistice were observed. The enemy vessels will be interned in Scapa Flow. Part of the crews will be retained for maintenance work, and the remainder will be returned to Germany soon.

Historic Signal.

Admiral Beatty's historic signal after the German fleet had been moored at the appointed place was: "The German flag is to be hauled down at 3.57, and is not to be hoisted again without permission."

American Plans.

Washington, Nov. 22.—Until every German warship covered by the armistice actually is in the hands of the Allies, Secretary Daniels said to-day, the Navy Department will continue to operate under the command of the cable Admiral Benson and Vice-Admiral Sims, however, directing that they advise him officially the moment the naval terms of the armistice have been accomplished.

When this message is received, Mr. Daniels will issue an order commanding that no further restrictions which have been placed on the navy personnel. Naval authorities here estimate that nearly half the German undersea fleet has been turned over.

PROGRAMME OUTLINED BY BRITISH COLUMBIA MEMBERS OF COMMONS

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mission. It was felt by the Members that it was imperative that a representative of this province should be on the Commission in view of the peculiar position of the province in being the gateway of the whole of Canada to the outside world. A resolution was sent forward to the Government.

Further in connection with the trans-Pacific trade question a resolution was introduced in the House on the rapid development and expansion of this trade the time has come for the Government to inaugurate a definite progressive policy of port development for British Columbia ports was passed.

Natural Resources.

Consideration then was given to the necessity for the development of the natural resources of the province, both from the standpoint of increasing production and for giving employment to returned soldiers. A special resolution was passed to the effect that the Government provide for the establishment of a publicly-owned copper refinery on this coast. It was felt that the establishing of such an industry would encourage the establishment of manufacturing plants for the production of finished articles.

Silver, Lead and Zinc.

It also was urged that such assistance be given as is necessary to encourage the development of the metal resources of the Province, particularly in reference to silver, lead and zinc. The meeting suggested that the utilization of this ore be made the subject of consideration by the Scientific Research Commission which is now in existence in Canada. In normal times there is difficulty in utilizing such ore owing to the separation problem and the low price of zinc.

Returned Soldiers.

Returned-soldier problems were given exhaustive consideration. It was urged that necessary public works be commenced as early as possible to give employment to returned men. It was suggested that the Government might operate some of the basic industries and employ only returned men. Another point made was that measures should be adopted to prevent the cessation of operation of productive industries. In order to do this, facilities might be established to store non-perishable materials.

It was agreed that franchises and privileges within the gift of the Government should be reserved for citizens, preferably for men who have seen active service.

The need for the appointment of a definite authority in each district or centre of population to deal officially with returned men and provide them with information was pointed out.

Land Settlement.

On the land settlement question representations are being made to have consideration given to the peculiar conditions of this province, and to have the land settlement regulations revised to suit the conditions here.

It was felt that the regulations were drafted more particularly to suit the prairie provinces. The members also sent a memorandum to the Government drawing attention to the thousands of acres of land suitable for settlement which are withheld because they are Indian reserves or other public lands. They felt these lands should be opened up.

The suggestion was made that the civil service regulations be amended to permit returned soldiers who have passed the matriculation examination to the civil service to escape the lower grades.

It also was suggested that a census of labor in this province be taken, with a view to placing a definite percentage of returned men in the industries.

Fisheries.

Deep concern over the fisheries question was expressed and a resolution was passed urging that without delay the salmon spawning streams and areas be cleared and protected, and that present excessive fishing be restricted. Almost unanimous encouragement was given to the establishment of ten new fishing settlements on the coast and that the preference be given in all cases to returned men in the issuance of fishing licenses and privileges.

Other problems not so pressing will be given consideration at a conference to be held later, probably before Christmas.

WORK OF U. S. AIRMEN.

American Headquarters in France, Nov. 21.—(Via London, Nov. 22.)—When hostilities were suspended, American aviators had destroyed 661 more German aeroplanes and thirty-five more German balloons than Americans had lost. The total number of enemy planes destroyed by the Americans was 926 and the total number of balloons seventy-three. Two hundred and sixty-five American planes and thirty-eight balloons were destroyed by the enemy.



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SCHOONER CASCO, LEAKING, ARRIVES AT SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—Robert Louis Stevenson's staunch schooner of deathless fame, the Casco, is in port here after her most eventful voyage. The craft, which the famous Scottish author chartered thirty-three years ago to explore the South Pacific, arrived here in a leaking, almost sinking condition, six men having constantly manned her for forty-two days, while Mrs. Percy E. Troup, the bride of the Casco's captain, who formerly was Miss Flora Goettner, of Tacoma, cheered them with song.

The Casco, now owned by H. O. Wicks, of Seattle, left Suva sixty-five days ago with sixty tons of copra. Heavy weather was encountered and the skipper, mate, cook and sailors took turns at the pumps.

BOSTON, MASS.—Since the silver ship, the natives of Fakarava called the Casco, lay becalmed. While fishing, Mrs. Troup was pulled overboard by a ten-foot shark. Captain Troup plunged to her rescue and stabbed the shark with a knife. Captain Troup had the shark's white teeth made into a gold mounted necklace for his bride.

LUXEMBURG PEOPLE WELCOMED AMERICANS, STATES PERSHING

Washington, Nov. 22.—General Pershing's communiqué for Thursday says:

"Headquarters American Expeditionary Forces, Nov. 21.—Continuing its advance, the Third Army reached this morning the general line Wittenberg-Schutzenberg-Rentgen-Kattenhofen. During the afternoon our troops passed through the City of Luxembourg, where they were welcomed as deliverers by the civil population, who showered them with flowers and accompanied them on their march through the flag-decked streets."

LUXEMBURG, Nov. 21.—Via London, Nov. 22.—With General Pershing, the American Commander-in-Chief, at her side, the youthful Grand Duchess of Luxembourg, from the balcony of her palace watched the American troops march into her capital to-day.

CARS LEFT TRACKS IN MAINE AND THREE MEN WERE KILLED

Portland, Maine, Nov. 22.—William C. Rollinson, of this city, died to-day of injuries suffered last night when three cars of a Grand Trunk train from Montreal jumped the track near Falmouth. His death made a total of three fatalities as a result of the wreck. John H. Vanier and Fred A. Little, passengers, both of this city, were instantly killed. Eleven persons who were injured were resting comfortably to-day in a hospital.

SCHEIDEMANN QUIT AS FINANCE MINISTER IN GERMAN CABINET

Basel, Nov. 21.—Via London, Nov. 22.—Philip Scheidemann has resigned as Minister of Finance in the new German Government and his place has been taken by Lennart Rosenberg, Secretary of Publicity, Art and Literature, according to a Berlin dispatch.

SEATTLE LABOR AND THOMAS J. MOONEY

Seattle, Nov. 22.—All the Seattle labor unions have been asked by the Central Labor Council to vote on the question of strike on Dec. 9 as a protest against the execution of T. J. Mooney, San Francisco, convicted of murdering one of the victims of a Preparedness Day bomb explosion. The lathers and machinists already have voted to strike.

PETAIN PRAISED BY PREMIER CLEMENCEAU

Paris, Nov. 22.—In making his formal speech to the Senate yesterday, the Duke of Vendome, President of the Senate, paid a high tribute to General Petain. "General Petain will have the glory of having maintained to a high degree, even in the darkest hours, the morale of the French soldiers. His command formed the instrument of victory, to which his talents have so greatly contributed."

MINIMUM WAGES FOR WOMEN IN MANITOBA

Winnipeg, Nov. 22.—A minimum wage for women employed in manufacturing, mining and agriculture has been established by the Manitoba Minimum Wage Board yesterday. For drug-makers the minimum will be \$11 per week, with a forty-nine-hour week and Saturday half-holiday, and for jewelry workers, \$12 per week, with similar hours.

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There was a large attendance at the funeral of the late Stephen Jones, which took place this afternoon from the Dominion Hotel.

The aldermanic elections only will be discussed at the meeting to be held in the Board of Trade room this evening. It is probable that there will be only two candidates for Mayor, Hon. Robert Beaven and John Teague.

The workingmen of the Province are looking forward with a great deal of interest to the conference to be held in this city on Saturday with the Government with reference to the work of the Bureau of Labor statistics. There will be about forty delegates present from the different cities of the Province.

AN ONTARIO REEVE FINED FOR DISLOYALTY

Walkerton, Ont., Nov. 22.—Moses Filsinger, reeve of the Township of Carrick, which is almost entirely populated with persons of German ancestry, was fined \$300 and costs by Magistrates Chapman, of Port Elgin, and McIntosh, of Southampton, at the Town Hall yesterday for disloyal utterances made in the village of Millwood early in June. Filsinger said in conversation with two men that Borden was selling Canadian soldiers in England for \$8 ap

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| Hurlbut Welt Strap Slippers, in patent and tan calf. Sizes 4 to 7½, a pair, \$2.75. Sizes 8 to 10½, a pair | \$3.00 |
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"One evening, as Uncle Wiggily Long-ears, the bunny rabbit gentleman, was sitting in his hollow stump bungalow, reading the paper, while Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, his muskrat lady house-keeper, was darning a hole in the new dispan, there came a rat-a-tat knock at the front door.

"I wonder who that is?" said Uncle Wiggily.

"I guess it's—somebody!" whispered Nurse Jane.

"I think so myself," went on the bunny. "I'll go look."

And when Mr. Longears opened the door there was Johnnie and Billie Bushytail, the squirrel boys.

"We came over to see you, Uncle Wiggily," said Johnnie. "Being it's Friday night, we don't have to do home school work, so we came over."

"Glad to see you!" said Uncle Wiggily, twinkling his pink nose most invitingly and cordial. "Come right in. Company has come to see us!" he called to Nurse Jane.

"Good!" answered the muskrat lady.

"Bring it right in!"

So Johnnie and Billie, the squirrel boys, scampered in. Then the bell rang again, and there was Sammy and Susie Littletail, the rabbits, and after them came Lulu, Alice and Jimmy Wibble-wobble, the ducks, and Jackie and Peetie Bow Wow, the puppy dogs.

"Well, I'm good news comes alive and some pepper hash!" laughed Nurse Jane.

"But I hope you aren't going to give us that to eat!" spoke Sammie Littletail.

"What to eat?" asked Nurse Jane, puzzled like.

"Pepper hash," answered Sammie.

"Mother told me if I came over here, to be sure and not ask for anything to eat. But if you want to give us something I can't stop you, 'cause you're bigger than I am; aren't you, Nurse Jane? Only I don't like pepper hash!"

"Bless your appetite!" said the rabbit lady. "I wouldn't give you that to eat, Wiggily." She went on to the bunny rabbit gentleman. "I think you'll have to go for some ice cream. This is an unexpected party, and just some cookies and cake, which I have in the house, won't be enough of a treat. Go for some ice cream down to the corner."

"I will!" said the bunny.

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SOCIAL PERSONAL

Major T. Lee and Mrs. Lee, of Bonington Falls, are among the mainland visitors in the city for a few days.

Miss Edith McConnell has returned to Vancouver after spending a few days in the city, as the guest of Mrs. J. P. McConnell.

Major and Mrs. G. E. Winters, of Quebec, have arrived in the city, and are among the guests at the Empress Hotel.

Miss Maude Hayward, of Edmonton, has arrived in the city from Edmonton and will spend the next few months in the city. She is a guest at the Victoria Club.

The Canada Gazette of recent issue contains notice of the appointment of Dr. J. G. Rutherford, the well-known veterinary surgeon and former member of the House of Commons, as a member of the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners.

In anticipation of the return of the large number of veterans who are scheduled to come home at no very distant date, and of whom a large proportion will doubtless enter the local military convalescent hospitals for treatment, the "J. Unit Chapter, I. O. D. E. is making a special effort to raise funds to provide comforts for them, and for the men already in the local institutions. The first step in this money-raising campaign will be the holding of a big bazaar at the Empress Hotel on December 3, in the preparations of which the members are busily engaged. The affair is to be an especially attractive one, and promises to eclipse the many previous successful functions which lie to the credit of this energetic chapter.

VICTORIA CLERGYMAN SUFFERS BEREAVEMENT

Mrs. J. C. Gillespie, Daughter of Rev. C. R. Little, Passes Away

The Rev. C. R. and Mrs. Little are receiving many expressions of sympathy in their bereavement, sustained in the loss of their eldest daughter, Ethel Frances Mary, wife of Lieut. J. C. Gillespie, who passed away at Kingstown, Ireland, on November 14. In the absence of any previous intimation of her illness the news of her death came as a severe shock to her parents, the cause being received on Wednesday containing but the brief announcement of her passing.

The late Mrs. Gillespie was born in Winnipeg, and came to Victoria with her parents seven years ago. She left Victoria in June, 1916, for England, where her marriage to Lieut. J. C. Gillespie took place on July 12, 1916. Lieut. Gillespie is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Gillespie, of "Glensilla," Strabane, Ireland. He is well-known in Victoria, having previously been a chartered accountant prior to leaving for England in September, 1915, where he obtained his commission and joined the 9th Royal Irish Imperial Forces.

After her husband's return to the front Mrs. Gillespie took up work, and for eighteen months was in charge of the housekeeping duties at a V. A. D. hospital in England. Some months ago she left for Ireland, taking up her residence at Kingstown, where her death occurred.

She is survived by her husband, an infant daughter, her parents and one sister, and leaves many friends in the city who will share in the grief at her untimely demise.

"Ice cream bricks will be all right," said Jacko in a whisper.

"Sure," added his brother Jumbo. "They won't melt so fast."

"All right, then, three hard bricks of ice cream," ordered Uncle Wiggily, and soon he and the monkey boys started back with them to the hollow stump bungalow to have the party.

But of a sudden, when they were almost home, out of the darkest part of the woods came a bad animal named the Namby Pamby, who grabbed Uncle Wiggily.

"Now I have you!" snorted the Namby Pamby, who is a bad animal with strong claws but a very soft head. "Now I have you!"

"Yes, so it seems!" said the bunny. "Oh, dear! What shall I do?"

"Hit him with a brick!" cried Jumbo. "Here, we'll help you, Uncle Wiggily!" Hit had ice bricks!" cried Jumbo. "Here, we'll help you, Uncle Wiggily!" Hit had ice bricks!"

Now, of course, I'm not saying it is nice to hit any one on the head with a brick, but in case of a Namby Pamby you have to do something different.

"Here, Uncle Wiggily. Let me take one of the bricks, and I'll hit him!" shouted Jacko.

"Oh, no! Please don't hit me! Oh, my head is so soft I need a coat of strong hit up with a brick!" begged the Namby Pamby. "It's good! I'll let you go! Only, don't brick hit me!"

So he let Uncle Wiggily go, and away the Namby Pamby ran, and Jacko and Jumbo hurried on home with the treat for the party, and the monkey boy said:

"We fooled the Namby Pamby. He thought we meant to hit him with a brick, but we only had ice cream. And if the sunshine on the wall doesn't tickle the picture of the baby and make him laugh in his sleep, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the cranberries.

"Well, mother," said a workingman to his wife, as he returned from the park, where he had been hobnobbing all the forenoon with his fellow strikers, "let's have dinner."

"No dinner to-day, old man," she replied.

"Dinner to-day, old man," she replied.

"What's up?"

"We struck for eight hours' work and two meals a day. So has Mr. Johnson, so has Mrs. Spring. In fact, we've had a meeting and we have come to the conclusion that if hours a day is too hard on women when big, strong men can only stand eight hours."

Thanks are due the Dugong Printing Co. for printing the Annual Report of the Victoria Branch, C. R. C. S., for 1918.

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Among the many social functions which were necessarily postponed owing to the imposition of the ban was the Armistice dance originally arranged to take place at the Empress Hotel on Hallows'een. The lifting of the ban and the renewal of social activities coupled with the general feeling of elation at the advent of a victorious peace, has led the organizers—the Red Cross—to exercise additional effort to make the event one commensurate with the importance of the occasion.

Assuming the garb of an "Armistice Dance," the affair promises to be one of the grandest the season, and the management of the hotel is cooperating to the fullest extent with the organizers. To accommodate the big throng of dancers expected, the whole of the ground floor of the hotel will be thrown open as was done on the occasion of the ball during the visit of the Governor-General.

Dancing will take place in the ballroom, palmcourt and rotunda, while the smaller reception rooms will be available for smaller sets. Professor Lou Turner's orchestra especially augmented for the occasion will be stationed in the palm-court, and an attractive and appropriate programme of music is in course of preparation.

Although the affair was primarily designed as a masquerade ball, masking is optional.

SERGT. HENRY GEORGE SIVERTZ.

Fell in Battle, September 29, 1918.

He would not have us weep,
Although he lies asleep
Amid the falling leaves and flowers of
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"Each single life is small."
When crowns and kingdoms fall,

He wrote before he made his last advance.

And in those tragic fields,

Where not a soldier yields,
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MAUBEUGE

A TRIBUTE TO THE BRITISH

From The New York Times, Just Before the Armistice.

Field-Marshal Haig reported on Saturday that "the fortress of Maubeuge has been captured by the Guards and Sixty-Second Divisions." So, after four years and three months of war, the British Army is advancing in triumph over the ground where the "Contemptibles" first saw the flash of the enemy's guns and retreated, fighting desperately, before superior forces. If Sir John French had blundered at Maubeuge in the last week of August, 1914, his army would have been destroyed or captured, and through the gap made by its elimination the Germans would have poured in an overwhelming flood of men and guns, compelling Joffre with a problem, the saving of his main body and the defence of Paris, for which he might not have been able to find a solution. Small as was the British Expeditionary Force, consisting of no more than 80,000 men, its units checked the German advance from day to day by tenacious holding on to positions prepared over night until scarcely an officer or private was left to tell the story. Never did the British Army, which has always known how to do right such sobering rearguard actions. These covering operations made it possible for Sir John French to save a part of his army, and on September 3 it crossed the Marne by the bridges between Lagny and Meaux. These bridges were blown up by the rearguard.

Maubeuge figured that critical retreat when Sir John French, engaged in his battle at Mons, his right resting on Bincin and his left on Conde, and the fight going on all night, received this most unexpected message from General Joffre. It was a belated message: the British commander should have known its ominous tidings hours before. While he was defending the Mons position

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against a force at least twice as strong as his own, the Germans had thrown back the Fifth French Army on his right and were driving across the Somme between Namur and Charleroi. At the same time the enemy was marching with enveloping movements around his left at Tournai. The British supports were gone, had been gone for several hours, and when the message reached Sir John French the Fifth French Army was retreating before Von Below's Second German Army.

The British commander knew the terrain in his rear intimately, for he was an authority on the French campaigns of the past. His decision was quickly made; he would fall back upon the line Maubeuge-Jonain, and that very night preparations were made for retirement while he continued to defend the Mons position as if he knew nothing of what had befallen Lanrezac, Langle and Ruffey. Back went the heavy transport to clear the roads, and the ambulances carrying the wounded followed. In the meantime Haig's Corps, now rear-attached to Smith-Dorrien's Corps, had retired to the retirement of Smith-Dorrien's Second Corps. The feint deceived the enemy, who reasoned from the steady fire of Haig's 120 guns that the British had been reinforced. When Smith-Dorrien had fallen back five miles from the Conde Canal he took up a strong defensive position, Frameries-Quarouble, to give the British right an opportunity to retire. Maubeuge, the fortress of the first class on the Somme.

To the left of the British force the enemy had crossed the frontier, and the British right resting on Maubeuge would have been secure if the French had made a junction with it. This, however, was out of the question. The Fifth Army was not in touch with it, having withdrawn but to retire to new positions. Von Kluck's design was to outflank the British left and tempt Sir John French to give battle under the protection of the Maubeuge forts. That would have been fatal to the expeditionary force without support. It would have been better to retreat. The British Army, of about

one hundred thousand, had surrendered at Sedan in the late summer of 1870.

The British commander, left to his own resources by the irresistible "drive" of the Germans against the French on his right, rejected the plan of giving battle on the Maubeuge-Jonain line and ordered a retreat past the fortifications of the Somme, the First Corps marching to the east of it, the Second Corps to the west of it, for in its way the forest of Mormal was as dangerous to a small army as the fortress of Maubeuge. It is not necessary to follow the fortunes of the hard-pressed British Army falling back to one position after another through Le Cateau, La Bassiere, Valenciennes, Cambrai, and St Quentin. The worst was over when the Second Corps reached the Somme.

The British are at last back in Maubeuge, retracing the line of their retreat. They have passed through the same towns that saw them staggering and bleeding and beaten from the fierce German onslaught in the First World War, but the enemy in and around the forest of Mormal, where they fought the first battle of the war, are flushed with many victories. They will never taste defeat again, and the Germans will never know anything else. But it is not to be doubted that if Sir John French had been left to his fate at Maubeuge in those crowded hours in August, 1914, the British would never have returned as victors in the closing days of the great war.

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Most remarkable of all, they beg the Allies to protect the German troops as they evacuate Alsace-Lorraine, and protect them from what? From the civil population, which they have been assured the world will loyally German, from the civil population whose sons were torn from them to serve in the German Army. Zabern is tremendously avenged. No more will young officers strike down harmless cobblers for being wanting in respect; no more, in any town of Lorraine or Alsace.

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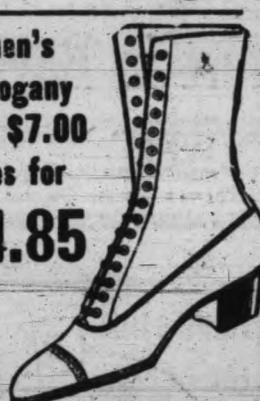
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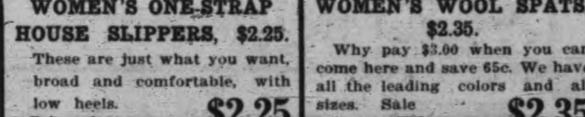
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vested approximately \$6,000,000. This is an average of \$109.69 per capita of \$18.03 per head better than the Province as a whole. The Island as a whole, however, fell somewhat below the average for the Province. The population of the Island is estimated at 100,000, so that the average per capita was \$75 on \$7,500,000, or \$18.06 below that of the Province as a whole.

Though British Columbia swept far past her quota, the average subscription per capita was behind that of the Dominion as a whole. Canada, with a population of over 7,000,000 invested \$676,000,000 or about \$81 per capita to British Columbia's \$81.00.

Compared to last year the response of Victoria is still more encouraging, and shows an advance of about 87 per cent.

In 1917 Greater Victoria subscribed \$3,800,000, or an average of \$69 per capita. This year the per capita average was \$109. These figures are based on published statistics, which are declared at the Victoria Victory Loan of the Provincial Government.

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These minute germs enter the body thru nose, throat and lungs, and the first symptoms develop in from two to four days. It is important to practise personal cleanliness—a clean skin, mouth and nose, clean bowels. Avoid the person who coughs and sneezes. Sleep well, eat well, play well. Drink plenty of water, hot or cold lemonade. Then keep the bowels active. Every other day take castor oil, or a purgative made of Mayapple, leaves of aloe, jalap, and rolled into a tiny, sugar-coated pill, sold by druggist as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

In the attack of Influenza nature's effort to remove the poisons from the body often results in inflammation of the kidneys, and so it is well to help nature's effort by inducing perspiration, with hot lemonade and hot mustard foot-baths, and hot water bottles. Obtain of your druggist a kidney and backache remedy, known as "Anuric" (anti-uric) tablets. These help flush the bladder, kidneys, and the intestines, and act as an antiseptic, and if taken either before, or during the attack lessen the pain and the danger to the kidneys. When the attack is over and it leaves you in a weakened, pale, anemic condition, it would be well to obtain an iron tonic at the drug store. A good one is "Ironite" Tablets, or if you prefer an herbal tonic, a good one is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made from wild roots and barks of forest trees, and without alcohol.

For those past middle life, for those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation, as backache, seeling "water," or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, "rusty" joints, stiffness, get Anuric at the drug store, or send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., 10 cents for trial package of Anuric, which you will find many times more potent than lithia and eliminates uric acid as hot tea melts sugar. A short trial will convince you.

COAL PRODUCTION

GAINS IN OCTOBER

Collieries of British Columbia Respond to Demand With Winter's Approach

Figures supplied by the Provincial Department of Mines to the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, this morning give the total production of coal for the Province of British Columbia for the month of October as 217,482 tons, an increase of 53,622 tons over the preceding month. It is noted, also, that in the month of September the mines of the Crow's Nest Pass District were idle.

Tonnages produced by the various districts for the month of October are as follows: Vancouver Island District, 146,923 tons; Nicola-Princeton District, 15,299 tons; Crow's Nest Pass District, 55,250 tons—totaling 217,482 tons for the whole Province.

Detailed Tonnages.

Tonnages produced by the Collieries of the Crow's Nest Pass District are as follows: Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, Coal-Creek Colliery, 25,496 tons; the same company's Michel Colliery, 15,140 tons; Corbin Coal and Coke Company, Corbin, 34,614 tons—totaling for the District, 55,250 tons.

The tonnages mined by the collieries in the Nicola-Princeton District for the month of October was 15,299 tons, an increase of 486 tons over the amount mined for September. The tonnages produced by the various collieries are given as follows: Middleboro Collieries, 5,292 tons; Fleming Coal Company, 2,208 tons; Coalmont Collieries, 4,900 tons; Princeton Collieries, 3,327 tons, totalling for the district, 15,299 tons.

Vancouver Island.

Heading the list for Vancouver Island is the Canadian Collieries with a total of 74,368 tons for the Comox and Wellington Collieries, while the Canadian Western Fuel Company comes second with an output of 59,219 tons for the Nanaimo Colliery. The tonnages produced by the various collieries are as follows: Canadian Western Fuel Company; Nanaimo Colliery, 59,219 tons; Canadian Collieries (L.), Lumby Colliery, 10,000 tons; the same company's Wellington Colliery, 26,762 tons; Pacific Coast Coal Miners Limited, Morden, 5,773; British Columbia Coal Mining Company, Jingipot, 1,025 tons; Nanose Collieries Limited, Grant, 1,900 tons; Granby Consolidated Mining & Smelting & Power Company, Granby No. 1, 2,560 tons; making a total of 146,923 tons for the Island mines. In spite of the loss of tonnage due to the ravages of the influenza epidemic, the production for Island mines stands the third in rank for any month of the year, being only 4,099 tons less than the highest production in March, and 1,374 tons less than the second highest production in April.

Increase Over 1917.

The total production of the collieries of the Province for the first ten months of the year is 2,204,155 tons, and for the first ten months of 1917 the production was 1,962,481 tons, so that the output so far this year shows an increase of 241,674 tons over the same period in 1917.

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day afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The private service was conducted by Rev. J. G. Lester. The pallbearers were Thomas Allen, William Nickols, H. Stevens, W. Weeks, G. T. Redknapp and A. Jasper.

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Your Fire Insurance is Costing Too Much. See the Independent Agency. Eight reliable companies. Duck Johnston.

Second Instalment of Report.—The November issue of The Canadian Municipal Journal contains the second portion of the official report of the Convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, held here this summer.

Resume Police Dances—Now that the influenza ban has been lifted the Victoria Police Force will resume its series of dances which were proceeding before the closing of public meetings. The next dance will be held as usual on Sunday night, and a large attendance is expected.

Had Cut-out Open—for having the cut-out of a motor car he was driving open. Edward R. Willard was fined \$5 by Magistrate Jay in the Police Court this morning.

Speeder Fined.—For driving a motor in excess of the speed limit. Louis Glazier was fined \$10 by Magistrate Jay in the Police Court this morning.

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INCREASED PRODUCTION

Oak Bay Gardens Produced Satisfactory Results This Year.

A most satisfactory report on the work of the municipal gardens, compiled by Superintendent E. Gunter, has been received by the Works Committee of the Oak Bay Council. A net profit of \$563.13 is shown, which will be added to the funds of the municipality.

The report, which follows, speaks for itself.

Serious Charge Remanded.—The case of René Karin, who faces the serious charge of procuring, was remanded until to-morrow by Magistrate Jay in the Police Court this morning. Bail has been fixed at \$2,000.

Send-Off For Sailors.—The sailors of H. M. S. Sailor are invited to an entertainment at the Sailor's Club on Friday and Saturday night to give the boys a send-off. Friends, kindly come along and help. The Victoria branch of the Navy League of Canada to give the boys a good time.

Veterans Returned To-day.—Fifty-seven veterans arrived in Victoria from overseas on this morning's boat and were cordially greeted at the C. P. R. wharf by members of the Welcome Club. Motors were run and flags were those of the men who were not met by friends, and each of the veterans was handed one of the Club's cards of greeting, the pleasant sentiment of which was evidently much appreciated.

Prod. in store.—Potatoes to be sold at once, \$151; 10 tons potatoes in pit, for sale in spring, \$400; 2,800 pounds carrots, \$32.30; hay in stack, \$200; oats, \$147; 500 pounds peas, \$40. Total, \$1,070.30. Total receipts, \$2,007. Balance credit, \$53.15.

At a meeting of the Oak Bay Council last night a by-law granting the sum of \$5,000 for the purchase of a High School site at the Willows was passed through its final stage, and is to be voted on by the ratepayers in a short time.

It was decided to repair Linklater Avenue, the condition of which was the subject of strong complaint by the residents.

For Quick Sale.—A few children's Sample Coats and Suits for ages 4 to 12. These are the very best English makes and are not shoddy materials. The Beehive Cash Store.

Charge Withdrawn.—The charge failing to report to the Registrar under the Military Service Act against Charles Hodgkinson was withdrawn before Magistrate Jay in the Police Court this morning.

Fighting Brothers Return.—Two sons of H. O. Bell-Irving have returned to Vancouver after distinguishing service with the British forces.

They are Major Allan Duncan Bell-Irving, M.C., (with bar), and Croft de Guerne, Major Malcolm Bell-Irving, D.S.O., and M.C., who have now been discharged owing to wounds.

They are members of a family which has achieved unusual distinction during this war, for the six sons of Mr. Bell-Irving answered the call and one of them, Major Roderick Bell-Irving, gave his life a month or two ago.

Donald Bell-Irving, the youngest brother, at New York and then returned home together. The widow of Major Roderick Bell-Irving is still in England.

A New York newspaper had the following to say about Major Malcolm:

"The major, who is still a very young man, believes that he is one of the first, if not the very first, aviator on the Western front to have been under fire of an aerial machine gun. When he made his first few flights in France and Belgium the Hun still were using their revolvers, as were the Allies, and the duels in the air were invariably revolver duels."

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UNITED SERVICE

ON SUNDAY WEEK

Thanksgiving Gathering at Parliament Buildings on December 1

A great gathering to take the form of a picnic, which will be held on Sunday week, the day set apart for the National Thanksgiving.

It will be held in front of the Parliament Buildings commencing at 2.30 o'clock. Sir Frank Barnard, Lieutenant-Governor, presiding. Among those invited will be Major-General Leckie, C.M.G., and Capt. Martin, R.N., representing the services. The provincial members of the Provincial Executive and representatives of the public bodies will be invited. All religious denominations will be asked to participate.

Arrangements to this end were commenced at a meeting of the Ministerial Association held to-day.

BETTER FUTURE FOR STOCK OF PROVINCE

Hon. E. D. Barrow Back From Great Sheep Sale at Kamloops

That the stock raising industry in British Columbia will profit by the periodical sales taking place at the interior city of Kamloops was the opinion expressed by the Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, on his return to his office at the Parliament Buildings this morning. The Minister spent the whole of Wednesday at Kamloops and took a keen interest in the second great sheep sale.

Good Prices. Over 1,000 head of sheep changed hands at very satisfactory prices, says Mr. Barrow. The average price fetched at high rates \$100 and \$150 each. Keen enthusiasm was displayed by an excellent muster of stockmen who had driven to town from many miles around, and from the expression of views on all hands the Minister gathers that there has been established a live organization that means to do something practical in the way of increasing and improving the herds of the Province.

Bull Sales. Over 1,000 head of cattle were sold at the Kamloops bull sale at the same time. The bulls were all in prime condition and brought high prices.

Signaller McCannell was well known in Victoria, having attended High School here for three years. He enlisted in May, 1917, in an artillery draft and went to Petawawa under Lieut. Fletcher. Spending some time training in Canada, he was then sent to England in November, and to France at the beginning of the year.

He was attached to the B. C. party as a signaller and while at this work was gassed on August 19, and was in hospital and convalescent camp until the latter part of October. No word had been received by his parents that he was back in the fighting line again until the notification of his death.

Young son, Don, made the supreme sacrifice on September 21 of this year, and a sister has been nursing at the front for eighteen months.

Signaller Harold M. Pearce, son of Mrs. Pearce, 1214 Oscar Street, was killed in action on November 5, according to word which has been received by the relatives here.

The young soldier, who was a student of the High School when war broke out, went overseas with an armful of letters, and over two weeks after his departure, his mother received word that he had been killed.

Self-Dependency. Mr. Barrow contends that if the money thus expended could be allowed to circulate in the Province there would be some encouragement towards the breeding of pure bred beef cattle in British Columbia, which would place the livestock men in a position of self-dependency. At the present time not only do the herds of the Province suffer but money goes into the pocket of the Alberta stockbreeders.

Mr. Stobart's Death. Although there are signs of improvement in the Spanish influenza epidemic in the city of Vancouver itself, Mr. Barrow reports a somewhat serious state of affairs in the North Thompson valley, particularly among the Indian settlements.

A considerable gloom was cast over the stockmen assembled at the sheep sale by the news that morning of the death of L. F. Stobart, for a number of years past manager of the Harper Ranch, and a very prominent figure at all the leading agricultural and stock events in British Columbia.

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Son of Famous Heroine. Mr. Stobart was the younger son of Mrs. St. Clair Stobart, the well-known actress and heroine of many wars, and grandaughter of Sir Samuel Boulton. Mrs. Stobart came out to British Columbia to visit her son early last year.

The late Mr. Stobart is survived by his widow, who is a daughter of J. Christie, Government Agent at Ashcroft.

Donation to Blue Cross.—The local committee in receipt of \$15 forwarded from Miss E. Tregent, Vancouver. The Blue Cross is a permanent Fund, just as the Red Cross is, and the Administrations will be required for a considerable time to come.



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OAK BAY JUNIOR ATHLETES HAVE BUSY SEASON AHEAD

Football, Hockey and Basketball on Programme of Sports for Boys and Girls Arranged by Newly Formed Schools Athletic Association

Now that the influenza ban is lifted, and with the resumption of school shortly, the newly formed Oak Bay Schools Athletic Association is determined that junior athletics in the municipality for the remainder of the season shall be in a flourishing state. Since their most successful event for the Red Cross on Dominion Day, a meeting of the executive has been held under the chairmanship of the President, P. F. Curtis, when the following schools were represented: Oak Bay High School (Messrs. Hope and Downs); St. Michael's School (Mr. Milton); Monterey School (Capt. Dexter); Willows School (Mr. Hordley).

A. R. Hennel consented to undertake the duties of hon. secretary-treasurer, and from him any information may be obtained.

Football Fixtures.

Thanks are extended to the B. C. Electric Railway, who has put its athletic park at the disposal of the Association on five days a week. It was decided to mark the area off in two football grounds for the season, and allocations were made, giving each school at least one field per week in addition to a series of friendly matches to be played off on alternate Thursdays.

The colors of the Association are red and white, the girls of the High and Public Schools having volunteered to supply flags for the touch lines. Mr. Curtis's offer of lumber for goal posts and flags was accepted with thanks.

In football there are some very promising youngsters in Oak Bay, and when the season is in full swing it is hoped that a representative team will be allowed to demonstrate their ability to Victoria and Esquimalt or even to a Mainland team.

Hockey for Girls.

Oak Bay High School (girls and boys) and St. Michael's School are also keen on hockey, and the grounds will often be used for this, one of the most popular winter games in the Old Country.

Basketball also will receive its fair share of support, arrangements having been made for the use of the High School gym by the schools which are members of the Association.

It is hoped that now the Association is firmly established, it will often prove a means of raising money for the Red Cross or other patriotic societies.

INTERMEDIATE RUGBY GAME FOR SATURDAY AT ATHLETIC PARK

The Royal Naval College and the V. I. A. A. intermediate players clash in the rugby competition on Saturday at the Royal Athletic Park, with Referee W. H. Spaulding due to blow the whistle at 2:45. On the last meeting the navy men obtained the verdict by a margin of three points, but the V. I. A. A. although they are without the services of Grubble have an improved side, and are optimistic over the result of the encounter. The Island Club will rely on the following team:

Weber, Linesham, full back; Matson, Webster, Robinson, Linesham and Stapleton, three quarters; Streeter, Bainbridge, halves; Hale, Blythe, Abiet, Cuthbert, Riley, Gropp, Andros, Kennedy, Muir, forwards.

A work out will be held to-night at the V. I. A. A. Gymnasium in the "Duck Hall" on the top floor of the Canada Hotel at 8:30 p. m. sharp, to which all senior and intermediate players are requested to attend.

MATTY BALDWIN'S FAMILY TO BENEFIT

Boston, Nov. 22.—More than 7,000 boxing enthusiasts attended a benefit entertainment here last night for the family of Matty Baldwin, former New England lightweight champion. The receipts exceeded \$10,000. Willie Jackson and Frank Britt, Jack Britton and "Harlem" Tommy Murphy took part in exhibition bouts.

PORTLAND FIGHTER SURPRISES FANS

Great Little Lightweight Sends Seattle Boy to Floor in Sixth

Seattle, Nov. 22.—Chet Neff lost a decision to Portland's great little lightweight, Alex Trambitas, last night in the main event of the Tacoma Eagles' boxing card.

The Ross City lad beat Neff squarely. He surprised the fans with his speed and cleverness, and besides the covers, he kicked his right hand which sent the Seattle boy to the floor in the sixth round. The bout was fast all the way, but Trambitas earned the verdict without any question.

Harold Jones, the boy who Chet McIntyre developed, proved the sensation of the night. The little Tacoma lightweight, from Portland, Oregon, had an awful battle, the contest ending in a draw. Jones was just as clever as the sailor lightweight, and earned an even decision by his work.

Billy Williams, substituting for Lackey Morrow, defeated Jimmy Ford, 15-14, to win the House of the benefit here, by a decision. Williams was too clever for Ford. Red Gage and Jack Williams went to a draw in the other event on the programme.

INTER-COLLEGIATE HOCKEY.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 22.—Queen's Athletic Council last night decided to notify McGill that Queen's was ready to open its winter inter-collegiate hockey in the senior series. Should the series not materialize an intermediate team will be entered in the O. H. A. besides a junior one.

TESTIMONIALS

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To-morrow's Sporting Features

Basketball.

Foundation Company v. I. M. B., at Y. M. C. A., 8 o'clock.

Rugby.

Intermediate game, V. I. A. A. v. Naval College, at Royal Athletic Park, 2:45.

Association Football (Senior League Games).

Victoria West Brotherhood v. Fragments, at Beacon Hill.

Lancaster v. I. M. B., at Oak Bay.

Garrison v. Navy, at Canteen Grounds.

Yarrows v. James Island, at Central Park.

(Intermediate League.)

Garrison v. Victoria Hospital, at Work Point.

Foundation v. Yarrows, at Beacon Hill.

Soccer games due to commence at 2:45.

TWELVE ELEVENS WILL PLAY SOCCER SATURDAY

Island and City Champions Meet; Intermediate League Opens

The venue. The senior team of the Foundation Company have a bye in the competition, so their players are expecting a big crowd of supporters to give them a send-off in the new league. The Foundation team is as follows: Humber, Teague and Chester; Hadger, Melville and Crawley; Ford, Crawford, Carroll, Townsend and Lumley. Reserves—Stuart, Harrison and McDermott.

BASKETBALL LEAGUE RESUMES TO-MORROW WITH TWO MATCHES

Saturday's soccer programme is the busiest in years in Victoria. Four games are down for decision in the senior competition, and the intermediate league starts with two games on the same day. The first game on Saturday centres in the meeting of the two rivals, the Victoria West Brotherhood, last year's city champions who forged ahead again last Saturday to the top of the league, and the Fragments from France, the Island champions, who were leading the competition until last Saturday. The game is to be played at Beacon Hill Park.

Games Start Earlier.

Secretary, W. Hill announces that it has been decided to call the games a quarter of an hour earlier, owing to the decreasing daylight and all games Saturday are scheduled to commence at 2:45.

Wests vs. Fragments.

The Fragments announce a strong line-up. Tipper and Singlehurst are in the selection again, but Pitts are not sufficiently recovered to make an appearance. The teams are as follows:

Wests—Shandley, Copas and Whyte; Ferris, McKenzie and Baker; Sherratt, Mulcahy, Johnnie Peden, Archie McKinnon and Thomas Reserves, Moulton and McKay.

Fragments—Bruce, Gomm and Symonds; Freeman and Singlehurst; McInroy, Blount, Bowens, Southern and Tipper. Reserves, Forsythe and Moncur. Referee, Haston.

Yarrows v. James Island.

Although this is the Island team's home game it will take place at Central Park. Yarrows announce the strongest eleven since they have been in the competition, and with all the men who were out with sickness back in the game. The shipyard men's team is to be followed by Barnes and Bell, McIlroy, Thacker and Brown; Douglas, Roberts, Kerley, Baker and Erskine. Reserves, Fulton, Unwin and Walton. Referee, Lock.

Lancaster v. I. M. B.

The Lancaster's game with the Imperial Munitions Board will take place at Oak Bay, and will be refereed by Wilcock.

Garrison v. Navy.

This game will be played on the Canteen grounds, and the Garrison eleven who have been changing the centre forward position since Frank Sweeney had his leg with Spanish influenza are splitting. Barnes in the centre forward position, Fillmore who has played for the Thistles and Sir John Jackson's has been out of the game some time as the result of an operation, but it is anticipated that he will prove a big acquisition to the side.

The teams are as follows:

Garrison—Jelliman, Beale and Pigott; Meshier, Bescott and Turner; Lloyd, Gibson, L. C. Fillmore, Rough and Jones. Reserves, Gale and Buxton.

Navy—Jasper, Borland and Rutter; Bell, Lacey and Clark; Hunter, Rose, Lifton, Masters and Cawthorne.

INTERMEDIATE GAMES.

Garrison v. Victoria Hospital.

Two teams of soldiers will meet at Work Point in the Intermediate League when the Garrison and the Victoria Military Hospital eleven, comprising players from Esquimalt and Victoria, try conclusions. The Hospital selection is as follows: Esquimalt Hospital—McMind; Gutierrez and Travis; Robertson, Clarkson and Reid; Bandy; Hawken, Devlin, Thomas and West. Reserves—Sandford, Gregson and Swann.

Foundation C. v. Yarrows.

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Portland would like to have Mickey King, of Seattle, here. Jimmy Darcy in the main event of a smoker to be put on December 6. Negotiations are on, and may be settled in a day or so. King is in good shape for a bout now but he has not performed since he went twenty rounds with Battling Ortega in Montana several weeks ago.

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VICTORIA NORTHWEST WORLD SPORTS

"ATTABOY!" ROOTER IN WRONG ELEMENT

Dough Boy Missed the Features of American National Game

Among the columns in the sporting pages filled with the Englishman's version of baseball and the Canadian and Sammies' impression of cricket, few have been more amusing than the following article by Thomas Burke in The London Daily Mail:

"Say, old pal, I have been getting a line on this cricket game of yours, and I'd like to spell it to you."

"Well, well, well, well. Say, the even- ing service at our National Baptist chapel way back in Wallington is such one big riot to it. You British are having pretty friendly fresh-out-of-the-ball-game, but it is a game all right? But your cricket. Seems like the Chinese invented the game: 'cos I never see anything so solid-like, except a Chinaman's starchery on Pell Street in full blast."

"Fire! the fielding team comes out. They walk to their places in the field like it was a court-martial, and then two Chinese idols in flannel pants marches out, carrying what looks like little cars. They goes through some slow ritual, and then the pitcher at one end trundles the ball to the bat at the other end. Maybe the bat hits it. Maybe he don't. If he do, one of the fliers picks it up gently, and hands it to the pitcher. If he hits it very hard, and it don't happen to go anywhere near a fielder, he and the catcher, the other end change places. A 'run,' they call it. Run! Ever see a religious procession round a cathedral? Then when he's put out. Does he trot back to the Chinese pavilion? No, sir. If he did, he'd get put off the field for being frivolous. He crawls back, and the next man crawls out, and the game's delayed a minute or so, and everybody has a much-needed rest."

"And, oh, boy, the peacefulness of it all. Nobody lifts his voice. Nobody enjoys the game. You might think they were all prisoners of war, doing chores for Fritz. The crowd's just a bunch of 'N' talk. No rooting. No noise. Once when he missed his fly, and the chap at short stop muffed it, I jumps up and shouts: 'Attention! Zaa! Boom! Zaa!' But the chap I was with pulls me down, and says: 'Sh! What's biting you?' I says: 'You can't do that here,' he says; 'it disturbs the players.'

"Disturb the players, old pal?" "Say," I says, "what do your folk come to a game for, anyways?" "We come to see serious cricket," he says. "My God," I says, "serious is the word. When's the sermon?"

"He nudged me again, like I was misbehaving myself, so I pipes down and watches their 'fast' bowler. Oh, Lordy, Lordy! When I see him putting over his 'fast' ones, and then thinks of Grover Alexander, I say: 'Oh boy!'

"Next I remember was my eyes shaking me, and I hikes up and rubs my eyes. 'What, is the service over?' I says. 'Yes,' he says, 'and we won by twenty-four.' And he looked so solemn about it, I felt kinda sorry. 'Never mind,' I says, 'perhaps next time you'll get licked, and then I'll help you kill the umpire.' 'Oh we never have disgraceful scenes like that,' he says. 'Not in real cricket,' he says. 'Ain't there no other kind of cricket?'" I says: "where a chap can enjoy himself and get worked up, and go Sss, Boom, Bah."

"Well, he looks at me then so grieved and severe, like, that I turned and lined out: 'Where you going?'" he says.

"I says: 'By way of a change I'm going to the Eagle Hut to play a hair-tearing hot-a-pot, hell-fire game of ludo."

ONTARIO HOCKEY.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 22.—Hamilton Tigers look for the O. H. A. to have but one senior group with three Toronto teams, Kitchener and Hamilton represented.

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WILL OPEN STORE FOR SERVICE MEN'S WORK

Local Girls to Undertake Sale of Soldiers' and Sailors' Handiwork

Without intending to discriminate against any of the other bouts, says The Seattle Times, in commenting on the bouts at the fight programme for War Work Fund, it may be said that the clash between Harry Anderson, former lightweight champion of Canada, now a member of the naval training station, and Joe Miller, of Camp Lewis, who is credited with a decision over Johnny McCarthy, was about the most interesting of the evening. It was very fast all the way through, and referee Mickey King gave Anderson a hair-line decision. Many of the fans would have been satisfied with a draw. A knockdown in the fourth round was the point on which Anderson got the edge. Miller was even better than the fans expected, and they have heard much of him. Anderson was in great shape and put up the best exhibition of his career in Seattle.

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FEATHERWEIGHT TITLE HOLDER WANTS MATCHES

Toronto, Nov. 22.—Frankie Fleming, claimant of the world's featherweight championship since the retirement of Champion Kilbane, has received his honorable discharge from the Royal Air Force. Fleming will take on Pete Scott, the English lightweight, or Clonie Tait at 135 pounds ringside, or Frankie Bell at catchweights.

ABANDON PLANS FOR SEMI-PRO BASEBALL

Cleveland, O., Nov. 21.—Owing to the sudden ending of the war, the National Baseball Federation has abandoned all plans for the proposed semi-professional league next season, and will conduct its affairs virtually as in the past.

The board of directors will meet in Pittsburgh December 3 or 4 to discuss plans for the 1919 season.

BASEBALL STARS APPLY FOR EARLY RELEASE

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 22.—Walter Pipp, of the New York Americans, Lester Baseball Club, and Tris Speaker, of the Cleveland club, to-day took advantage of a recent Government announcement and applied for immediate discharge from the naval aviation school at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The men said they expected to play baseball next season.

GOLF CHAMPION INJURED.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—Second-Lieut. Walter C. Crowds, a champion golfer of Chicago, injured by an airplane fall in the Hawaiian Islands, survived a serious fall at Kelly Field, Texas, during his training. The former Cook County golfer, who had been prominent in the last Western amateur golf championship, was out of commission with an injured head for several weeks after his first fall.

MAYOR OF NELSON DIES OF INFLUENZA

Nelson, Nov. 22.—Mayor M. R. McQuarrie, of Nelson, died at midnight last night, a victim of Spanish influenza. He had been ill a week, his condition becoming critical Wednesday, when pulmots were rushed by speeder and automobile from Trail and the Silver King Mine in an effort to save his life.

He was fifty-five years old, and had lived in Nelson for fifteen years, being previously a resident of Rossland. He was elected Mayor last January. He is survived by a widow and one daughter.

A son, Capt. Donald McQuarrie, M. C., was killed September 30 in the battle in which the 5th Kootenay Battalion was badly cut up. Capt. McQuarrie had twice before been wounded.

INFLUENZA AT SASKATOON.

Saskatoon, Nov. 22.—For the first time since the Spanish influenza epidemic hit this city, no deaths were reported yesterday. The Council will meet to-day for the purpose of deciding whether the ban on theatres, etc., should be lifted.

WITH SECOND RIFLES



PRIVATE ALEX. PRIMROSE

brother of Mrs. F. J. Holland, 1315 Camosun Street. Private Primrose was wounded on September 29, while fighting with the 1st Canadian Guards, the youngest son of the late Capt. Thomas Primrose, Tapscott, Perthshire, Scotland. For some years he resided in Pittsburg, Penn., before coming to Canada to enlist.

IN BATTLE ORDER



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who has been awarded the Military Medal. The photograph, which was taken in France, shows the non-commissioned officer carrying the equipment and pack the men carry as they enter the firing line, with the exception that on approaching the trenches the men changed their gas masks which is shown swinging across his right shoulder to the "alert" position across the chest, so that it can be speedily put on at the first warning of a gas alarm.

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of the 88th Fusiliers, who recently wrote to friends in Victoria stating that the wound he received in the head would have killed him, but for the protection afforded by his steel helmet.

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CARGO RATES FROM ORIENT SHOW DROP

Freight rates from China, Japan and the Philippines to this coast at present are all shot to pieces, says The Seattle Times. The base rate having fallen from \$40 to \$10 a ton, as a result of the operation of Government ship and the restrictions placed on import movements. Charter rates have not fallen in proportion, according to information

obtained in shipping circles, and many charters will not be renewed until the situation clears. The Government ships carry freight at a much lower price than the former prevailing freight rates from the Orient, the middle of December.

While the rates in the movement from the Orient to the Coast are diminished to the extent indicated, rates from the Coast to the Orient are extremely firm and high. Enough space is not available to handle the cargo

H. M. S. Euryalus, to which vessel the crew of the Lancaster is being transferred, is a sister ship to the cruiser Campania, Mourier and Hogue, which were sunk by German submarines in the North Sea during the earlier stages of the war. She is a vessel of 12,000 tons dis-

placed.

Had Famous Sisters.

The future disposition of the Lancaster is uncertain, but it is expected that the cruiser will remain on patrol duty on the Pacific for some time. This is indicated by the fact that a number of the ship's officers and men are already on their way out to Esquimalt from England to man the cruiser. This crew is reported to have sailed from England about November 15 and is expected to reach this coast toward the middle of December.

Work on the contract was begun by Erland & Co. last December and eight of the firm's sailmaking machines can continuously in carrying out the great order.

The ships built by the Foundation plant in Tacoma were ordered by the French Government. All told twenty big auxiliary-powered wooden schooners were built, and the Erland plant obtained the contract for equipping sixteen with sails.

In fulfilling the contract, the Erland plant used 725,760 square feet of canvas or virtually seventeen acres. It also used nine and a half tons of rope and two and a half tons of hardware, the latter including cringles, thimbles, etc. The single is a round ring, while the thimble is an oblong ring. The grommet is the round solid ring used at the reef points in the sails.

The Seattle plant handled the contract on schedule, fulfilling the huge order without halt or delay.

STEAMSHIP CARIB IN NO DANGER ON LONG ISLAND COAST

New York, Nov. 22.—The American steamer Carib, which went ashore in a heavy fog at Port Lookout, L. I., yesterday, appeared to be in no danger. Naval vessels standing by were expected to drag the Carib off before nightfall.

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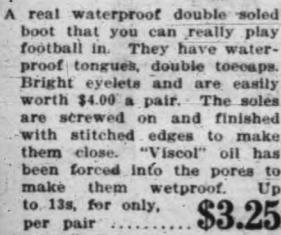
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ROMOTION BY MERIT THE NEW WATCHWORD

Country Civil Service Will
Keep Company With Brit-
ish Columbia

When the Civil Service of British Columbia is about to enter into a new method of control and the task of grading and classifying is passing over to a newly appointed Civil Service Commissioner, it is interesting to note that when a committee of the Executive Department—The Board of Inland Revenue is going to make promotion a matter of merit. It intends to set up a system of departmental committees. Those business it will be to look out for young men of brains in the service and to recommend them for promotion to positions of greater responsibility and usefulness.

Choke the Mandarins.

The Daily Mail describes it as a voluntary departure "that will choke the mandarins of the Department

choke with indignation." The journal goes on to say:

"Like other of ours, we are expressions of ourselves and our surroundings in easy-going ways. They were full of men of great abilities which they were not required to apply to the affairs of their Departments. The young man who entered by the right door to a 'Government job' had only to stand still upon the escalator of seniority to end in due course to a high position. Until the war came with its sudden and imperative demand for administrative efficiency, we scarcely realized that an official position involved real obligations. We know better now, having learned by sad experiences of muddle and incapacity in one Department after another. In all the services it has been necessary to get rid of time-encrusted mandarins and replace them by capable men from outside who could deliver the goods."

A Helpful Sign.

"Already we can see in the reconstructed England that is coming after the war a demand for administrative efficiency and unimpeachable merit in the old days. The defense of the country, the cultivation of the soil, the education of the children, the regulation of industry and employment will need the best efforts of the best brains. To find the right men will require a system which recognizes and advances merit, and the new departure in the Inland Revenue may be regarded as a helpful sign that the new necessities are being realized."

NORWEGIANS GIVE OF THEIR COIN READILY

Bella Coola's Quota Was \$5,-
000 to Victory Loan; Sub-
scribed \$30,000

**2 YEARS
AGO**

A rash broke out on my hands and the doctor told me it was eczema. So writes Mrs. McDonald, of Oyster Ponds, N.S. She adds: "In spite of the doctor's treatment bad sores appeared, which gradually spread more and more. Finding that the doctor's treatment did me no good, I turned to various so-called remedies, but I met with no relief."

"Knowing how terribly serious eczema is and how it will sometimes defy all treatment for years, I became almost discouraged. This was my state when I read about Zam-Buk and decided to give it a trial. By the time I had used one box the eczema was not so bad. The inflammation and the irritation were subsiding. Naturally I persevered with Zam-Buk, and as I did so the disease was gradually overcome. Day by day the sores got less and less and, to my delight, the disease was finally driven out entirely. It seemed almost too good to be true and I feared the eczema might break out again, so I waited several months to make sure that I was permanently cured. I am; and Zam-Buk deserves all the praise."

If you are suffering with eczema, eruptions, blood-poisoning or any skin disease, don't delay, but apply

Zam-Buk

How magnificently the Norwegians of Bella Coola have responded by way of subscriptions to the Victory Loan is told in a letter received by George F. Pyke, Secretary of the Provincial Returned Soldiers' Comradeship this morning. The writer is B. Phillip Jacobsen, who sent his two sons to fight in the Canadian Expeditionary Force, one of whom has lost a leg. It is concerning this one that Mr. Pyke conducted certain inquiries for which Mr. Jacobsen expresses his thanks. The letter reads as follows, after a little grammatical adjustment to the Norwegian's English:

"Many thanks for your letter and telegram to my son, T. E. H. Jacobsen. I can assure you I certainly appreciate the trouble you have taken to inform me of his whereabouts." The letter is dated November 5, and proceeds: "I am very busy as Chairman for the Victory Bond campaign among my countrymen—Norwegians—and I am pleased to say that out of a population here of 357, principally Norwegians, including 144 children, we have now reached the sum of over \$30,000, while the quota was set at \$5,000. Out of the \$30,000 only \$1,500 was subscribed by others than my countrymen, I think we shall get well over the \$30,000."

"Now we can't do too fighting for the country which supports us, let us do as a duty in some other way and," the letter concludes, "I can assure you I am, and so are the rest of the Norwegians here, proud to live under British rule."

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Order a tin today.

REV. A. H. SYKES NOW TESTIFIES

Believes It His Duty to Let
Facts in Wife's Case Be
Known

It is seldom, indeed, that men of prominence, especially ministers of the Gospel, willingly express their indebtedness publicly to a proprietary medicine. However, when a distinguished physician, of acknowledged purity and efficiency, that is shown by the uniform preparation, Taniac, statements from our best citizens are to be considered thoroughly commensurate with the good that is actually being accomplished.

Rev. A. H. Sykes, pastor of the Watkins Park Presbyterian Church, New Westminster, presents, not only as a minister of the Gospel, but perhaps as a man and citizen, who has

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ESQUIMALT WAR MEMORIAL.

To the Editor.—Apropos of the report in your issue of yesterday as to the probable selection of the front of the municipal hall as the site of the memorial to the Esquimalt men who gave their lives for their country in the great war, to my mind there is no other place for it. And now that the war is practically over it is likely that the Municipality will replace the present cheap temporary municipal offices with a decent building, such as the buildings of the Municipalities of Oak Bay and Saanich, and thus give a good back-ground to the memorial.

J. DUNN.
Amphion Street, Nov. 21, 1918.

WHAT ABOUT THE KAISER?

To the Editor.—An event greatest probably in historical importance, has just been consummated by the declaration of peace.

The whole world's community, in a common, unique partnership, directly or indirectly, has participated in this gruesome war. Civilization is struck with grief, in every quarter of the globe.

Now a groaning diaspora runs, From tortured brothers, husbands, lovers, sons, Of desolate women in far-off homes, Waiting to hear the step that never comes.

Christianity has been defiled, ridiculed, and its intelligence impaired, since the inception of Christ. All through the agency of an infinitesimal clique of Prussian barbaric demons!

Without a thread of justification or the semblance of a cause, these brutal cowards of Germany sallied forth for world confiscation saturated in boastful lust, greed and abomination. Flaunting an alleged invincibility, girded with the direst of warfare's mechanism, diabolical surprises, robes in hypocrisy and a halo of braggadocio, ill-tempered, swollen, squared heads, their ferocity innumerable enlisted, galvanized, and perniciously forced their subjects into that devastating carnage! The innocents of humanity now have the legacy of appalling penalties to suffer.

The villain of this tragedy, the ex-Kaiser, is still in possession of his freedom. Forty years' cold-blooded calculation in destruction, has so picked the hide of this arrogant, conceited fanatic, that he may be capable even yet of enjoying freedom. Surrender, self-destruction, ravaging madness may have passed the inevitable fate of my normal conscience; not so with the ex-Kaiser. With deliberate premeditation, he had fought, fought and failed!

Are we to violate our professions of equity, our solicitude for humanity, or craving of democracy, by permission of liberty to this loathsome monster and his guilty satellites? "Revenge is sweet—but that is trivial compared with justice." As the saying goes, "A sorrows world, that this group of foul murderers be brought to the bar of justice without delay."

Forty years assiduously forging a chain of barbarous design, the achievement of this "All Highest Military War Lord." Force of necessity supplied no reason for this despot. Germany already possessed rich fertile home lands, colonies for expansion, industrial cities seething with working multitudes. In spite of the fact that she was trying to capture markets for her manufactures, liberal welcome were extended to her subjects—to share wealth—in the prosperity and administration of other countries. How has that confidence and trust been observed?

We cannot fittingly express our

thanks to Providence, and the boys who

sacrificed so nobly, to snap asunder

that circle of cruel steel, while ignor-

ing the fact that the most dangerous

link is still intact. In the name of

Christianity, humanity, and democ-

racy, "Kaiser" in name and substance,

will vanish into abject degraded ob-

livion. Distinguished, however, as

the most contemptible humanized

brute, escaped the happy hunting

grounds of apes.

A. CRESSWELL.

518 Beach Drive, Shoal Bay, Vic-

toria, B. C.

ITALY FOR DEMOCRACY.

To the Editor.—Had Italy not refused to join Germany in her mad at-

tempt for world supremacy the pres-

ent war would have started earlier

in 1913. At that time Premier Giolitti

was at the head of the Italian Government.

His policy was strongly pro-German,

but he knew then that he would not

have had the support of the Italian

people had he made any promise to

the German autocracy. Giolitti was

still in office when the war broke out

in 1914, and he declared the neutrality

of Italy, but the whole nation—was

not unanimous in this decision.

These men, however, had withdrawn

from the Italian frontier France.

During the following months of Italian

apparent neutrality, German intrigues,

headed by the famous Prince von

Bülow, tried without success to poison

the mind of the Italian people. Giolitti,

who by the way was a great friend to

von Bülow, was ousted from the

Premiership, and Salandra had for

his immediate co-operation Orlando,

the present Premier, and Sonnino, the

present Foreign Secretary.

Immediately after their election a

firm attitude was taken towards Aus-

tria-Hungary, compelling her to recall

a large proportion of her troops from

the eastern and western fronts to be

concentrated on the Italian frontiers,

and after hurried preparations and at

a crucial moment, the forces of the

Allies were growing from bad to

worse. Italy, supported by the whole

population, plunged into the conflict

for the cause of democracy by declar-

ing war on Austria-Hungary on May

25, 1915, and upon Germany a few months later.

The glorious Italian soldiers carried the struggle on the snow and ice-covered Alps, across the terrible Isonzo River and the arid and barren plains. Caruso played with bold audacity. It is a well-known fact that the defeat at Caporetto, the only defeat suffered by the Italian army in this war, was due to German intrigue and trickery, but the Italian armies have redeemed this a hundredfold, arresting the invading enemy, superior in number, at Piave River before the arrival of the assistance from their Allies.

Italy's heart beat at the spectacle of her invaded territory. Once more the Teutonic hordes displayed the same barbarous behavior towards women and children they showed in their invasion of Belgium, Serbia and Northern France.

The Italian nation undaunted and with grim determination reorganized the triumph of democracy. His soldiers gave a noble account of themselves on June last by defeating the Austrian army on the Piave River, and lately by inflicting a complete defeat on the enemy, compelling him to make unconditional surrender.

The Italian women, from the wealthiest to the humblest, played a prominent and noble part in the final success. By the thousands they took up guns in hospitals, plowing fields, and in fact replaced the men in almost every branch of war. Some even insisted on going to dig trenches for the soldiers on the battlefield.

But, alas! What a price has Italy paid for that triumph of democracy?

Official statistics are not yet available, but estimates give the number of her casualties as over 3,000,000, half of which are killed or missing, and many of the rest permanently invalid.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BORN.
GILLAN—At Cedar Cottage Maternity Home, Saanichton, on Nov. 19, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gillan, a son.

DIED.
HANSEN—Off Nitinat, on Nov. 10, Peter Hansen, victim of the Renfrew wreck, residence, Seattle. Remains are reposing at Thomson's Funeral Parlors.

ERICKSON—Off Nitinat, on Nov. 10, Richard Erickson, drowned at the wreck of the Renfrew, residence, Seattle. Remains will be forwarded to Seattle for interment by Thomson Funeral Parlors.

TOLLEFSEN—Hans Tollesen, off Nitinat, Renfrew disaster, Nov. 10. Remains at the Thomson Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

PAULSON—Off Nitinat, on Nov. 10, Fred Paulson; residence, Clinton, Wash. Remains at the Thomson Funeral Chapel.

BYRNE—On Nov. 20, at the Cottage Matilda, Santa Barbara, Cal., Matilda, beloved wife of W. P. Byrne. She is survived by her husband, one son, Howard, overseas, and two daughters, Mrs. O. H. Grimm, of Victoria, and Miss Virginia, of Santa Barbara.

MCLACHLAIN—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on the 13th inst., John Henry McLachlan, a native of Ontario, aged 38 years, the deceased had been farmed in Manitoba, but had lived a retired life in Victoria for the last ten years.

The funeral will take place on Friday at 2.30 from the B. C. Funeral Chapel, the Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay officiating.

MITCHELL—On Nov. 20, at Work Point Barracks Hospital, Benjamin Mitchell, aged 38 years; born in Scotland, a recent recruit to this city for the past three months.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel with full military honors. Rev. Dr. Campbell will officiate. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BISHOP—On November 21, at the Emergency Hospital, Hubert Arnold Bishop, beloved husband of Mrs. Della Bishop, aged 44 years; born in Barbados, British West Indies, and a resident of this city for the past six years, late residence 1009 Port Street. The deceased has been employed at the Capital Bank for the past six years during which time he has made a host of friends, and was a member of St. John's Church. He is survived by his widow of this city.

A GRIM SIGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boyd wish to thank their many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and floral gifts in their recent sad bereavement.

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Then all at once I was in a country strewn with pieces of equipment, rifles, machine-gun parts, pounds of rags "dud" and unused shells, hand-grenades, wire of all kinds, cans and tins, and here and there a telegraph pole to which that tangled wires were still fixed. In one spot I found a homely-looking tank, its top open, and in another a walking-stick.

Tank tracks zig-zagged hither and thither, and, following one of these, I came upon a bundle of muddy clothing, and discovered it held together the remains of a Fritz. The particular tank in whose wake I was treading had apparently next started a gun, and had a broken limber and gun laying straight in front of me. It had then passed over a big dugout, crossing it in and leaving eight enemy dead to mark the achievement.

I came to a road leading down a hill, the banks rising high on either side, and here I found the tank itself had evidently tried to "side-slip" down one bank, and had "nose-dived" into a deep shell-hole; for now it was firmly embedded therein.

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MANY RANGE ABOUT HUNTING BANDITS

Two Fugitives Believed to Be
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Prince Albert, Sask., Nov. 22.—The Gervais bandits, Victor Carmel and Jean Baptiste St. Germain, who murdered James McKay last Friday, shot and killed Charles Horsley, a member of a posse, on Wednesday and who also are believed to have murdered James Suger, a farmer, who has been missing since last Friday, now are believed to be at large in the wooded country between Steep Creek and Prince Albert, bounded by the North and South Saskatchewan Rivers. In this great triangle of sparsely-settled country there is ample opportunity to evade capture, provided the men are warmly clothed and can secure food. The abundance of wild game in this area will largely solve the latter problem, while it is claimed that these men usually went about in warm clothing.

It is believed that they escaped from the dugout in the banks of the South Saskatchewan in the confusion that ensued upon the shooting of Corp. Horsley on Wednesday. The brush was thick around the mouth of the river, but some members of the posse say that they saw two figures scurrying through the underbrush though at the time they were not sure whether or not they were members of the search party.

A general alarm has been sent out and detachments of police from many outside points have been called in. A detachment of six Royal Northwest Mounted Policemen has been sent out to join in the hunt. Many citizens armed with rifles have gone to the area through which the men would have to pass, and the police officials believe that the desperadoes can not long remain large. The weather has turned fairly cold, and the distances of the chase are numerous.

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Many Indications.

The Vancouver Island correspondent of the British Columbia Veterans' Weekly, writing in the current issue, has the following observations to make on the subject: "Indications of an early amalgamation of the G. W. V. A. and Comrades of the Great War,

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SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AS APPLIED TO ARTS

Advisory Council Reports What Is Being Done in British Columbia

The first official report of the work being accomplished by the Honorary Advisory Council for Scientific Research reached Victoria yesterday. More than a year ago the chairman (Dr. A. B. McCallum), Dr. Adams and Dr. Ruttan were here on their western investigation, one of the fruits of which was the appointment of a committee for British Columbia, representing the engineers and allied sciences.

Some of the efforts of the scientists engaged on British Columbia investigations are of special interest.

Tar Fog Recovery.

The Council, recognizing the national importance of conserving economically the products of destructive distillation of wood, coal and the liquid products produced during the manufacture of producer gas, engaged Dr. J. G. Davidson, of the University of British Columbia, to make investigation on a commercial scale.

The principle was the application of the Cottrell precipitation process to the recovery of the heavy liquid and solid products produced by the gases resulting from distillation. Preliminary experiments had shown Dr. Davidson that a very effective separation of the heavy materials from water and gas could be effected by the electrical discharge in the Cottrell system. A plant on a commercial scale was established at Sault Ste. Marie, in connection with the coke works in that city. Numerous difficulties developed in the course of the experiments relating to the clogging of the pipes by tar, and the short circuiting of the system brought about by carbon particles. Great delay also occurred owing to the difficulty of obtaining machinery and equipment. Dr. Davidson was required to pick up one by one and assemble the portions of several of the units required.

The plant was assembled at the beginning of December, 1917, and in April, 1918, the major difficulties of operation on a large scale had been overcome and the process demonstrated that a great saving could be effected in recovering the products of the destructive distillation of wood and tar, as these can be separated from steam and gas at a high temperature so that subsequent evaporation and treatment of the water mixture were avoided.

This process will probably be utilized by several of the distillation plants in Canada in the near future. Dr. Davidson is now engaged in making his invention in this process a success, a public asset when it is developed. The installation and power costs of this process are low and the action has been shown to be very effective.

Industrial Alcohol.

In connection with the production of ethyl alcohol from wood-tar, the grain, the report is very favorable to British Columbia on account of the length of the season suitable for securing wet sawdust, and the abundance of material. It is necessary to obtain about 300 to 550 tons of wet sawdust per day in one locality to make the process commercial, and this should be delivered at a cost of a little more than 50 cents to 75 cents per ton to the converters; 300 tons of moist sawdust will yield about 60,000 pounds of glucose, or about 30,000 pounds of alcohol per day. This alcohol is now produced in the United States at cost of about 50 cents to 60 cents per gallon of 95 per cent strength.

Kelp Industry.

Investigations show a bright future for the potash industry on this Coast, in its production from kelp. It was found that the ash from the soft woods of British Columbia and from straw did not yield potash in commercial quantities.

Whilst the country is rejoicing at the cessation of hostilities, the men who have returned should give earnest consideration to the important question of what they will do when their comrades return to Canada. In measurable nearer and there is much to be done if the house is to be in order to receive them. As trustees, working honestly and loyally to prepare for their homecoming, the men already here must put their whole energy into the work and with unity of spirit and action they will accomplish their purpose and greet their comrades with "All is well."

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